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## Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER SONYJP 3.0-106 Filing Date Examiner Art Unit Application No. 2611 March 8, 2000 D. D. Saltarelli 09/521,176 Applicant(s): Toshiro Ozawa PROGRAM DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM, METHOD OF PROGRAM Invention: DISTRIBUTION, TRANSMITTER ANDRECEIVER TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims Highest Number Number Remaining **Previously Extra Claims** After **Amendment** Paid Present Rate **Total Claims** 40 45 0 0.00 х Independent 0.00 0 5 Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): 0.00 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: **Small Entity** x Large Entity x No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. 12-1095 x The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. x | Credit any overpayment. x. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: August 8 2005 were Lawrence E. Russ Attorney Reg. No.: 35,342 LERNER, DAVID, LITTENBERG, KRUMHOLZ & MENTLIK, LLP 600 South Avenue West Westfield, New Jersey 07090 (908) 518-6309 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail, in an envelope addressed to: MS Amendment, Commissione for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date shown below. Signature Turn Dated: August 8, 2005

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## **AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the official action mailed May 12, 2005, applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.